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[THE CRISIS IN CHINA] ORDERED TO SIGN.

Emperor Gives His Envoy's Notice.

Modification of the Note Also Desired.

Li Hung Chang Not in Condition to Do Active Work.

Prince Ching Calls on Spanish Minister—Edict Announcing Submission.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.] PEKING, Dec. 30.—[By Asiatic Cable.] The Chinese plenipotentiaries have been directed to sign the joint note is a source of satisfaction to officials here, as indicating a disposition on the part of the Chinese government to heal the desire of the powers that negotiations shall be entered on at once, and the present unsatisfactory condition of affairs terminated.

The Emperor, it was expected, would intrust his plenipotentiaries to obtain the best terms possible. One of the principal objections said to have been made by the Chinese to the location of any great number of legation guards in Peking is that these guards would be a menace to the existing Chinese government. As had been already stated in these dispatches, the United States government does not desire the absolute demolition of the Taku forts, but simply their dismantlement, so that ready access to the Chinese capital of a foreign force would not be prevented. The demand of the powers in the note, however, was for the destruction of the forts.

The inquiries said to have been made by the Chinese government of the envoys, of which inquiries, however, no official intimation has been received from Mr. Conger, has been regarded by the officials of this government as reasonable, and because of this more delay than has occurred was expected in the court's direction for the signature of the note. Nothing has come from Mr. Conger regarding the status of the note since a cablegram from him some days ago, announcing that it had been presented to the Chinese.

SURPRISED THE ENVOYS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.] PEKING, Dec. 30.—The Chinese themselves were greatly astonished at receiving the imperial instructions.

Neither Li Hung Chang nor Prince Ching had expected success in persuading the court under ten days. The Emperor's instructions are to agree fully to the note, but to endeavor to get the best terms possible, particularly in the matter of limiting the number of legation guards and also as to the places where these are to be located.

The plenipotentiaries are instructed to endeavor to limit the number of army posts along the line of railway to as few as possible, and finally to request the powers not to destroy the forts, but merely to disarm them.

Li Hung Chang's health is bad, and it is doubtful whether he will be able to do more than to affix his signature to an instrument delegating his powers to Prince Ching until another plenipotentiary has been appointed. He was dressed this morning and carried in a chair to the residence of Prince Ching, with whom he held a long conference.

Prince Ching then called upon the dozen of the diplomatic corps, the Spanish Minister, Senior de Colorgan, and requested him to notify the other envoys that instructions had been received from the Emperor to sign the note.

IMPERIAL EDICT ISSUED.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.] PARIS, Dec. 30.—The Peking news agency has received the following dispatch from Peking: "Prince Ching and Li Hung Chang have communicated to the foreign envoys an imperial edict, in which the Emperor declares that China accepts the joint note and authorizes

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OUTBREAK IN KOREA AGAINST FOREIGNERS.

OUR MINISTER DEMANDS PROTECTION FOR MISSIONARIES.

The Mines in which the Emperor and Leigh Hunt are Partners are Paying Big Profits—French Gunboats Enforce Payment of Indemnity from Chinese.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES] TACOMA (Wash.), Dec. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Glendale brings news from Yokohama that an anti-Christian outbreak is imminent in Korea. Anti-Christian riots have occurred at Pyongyang, where native converts were stoned. A number of American missionaries are at work in that district. The American Minister at Seoul has demanded that they be adequately protected, and soldiers have been sent to quell any disturbance.

It has become known at Seoul that the Emperor of Korea is a large shareholder in gold mines at Usang, controlled by Leigh Hunt, formerly of Seattle and New York. These shares were given to the imperial household in return for concessions.

The Emperor also specified that Koreans should be employed exclusively in the mines, with the exception of engineers and superintendents. The mines are now paying big profits. An effort is being made to ascertain if the Emperor

is not to be paid.

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ever buttered, and the only drink indulged in at meal times is a cup of hot water, sometimes sweetened a little.

GOLF IN YOUR PARLOR.

Scheme for Which a Respectable Clergyman Is to Get a Fortune from the Toy Manufacturers.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES] NEW HAVEN (Conn.), Dec. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Anson Phelps Stokes, Jr., secretary of the Yale corporation and the wealthiest clergyman in America, has gratified his fondest ambition and won a fortune for an idea which sprang from his own brain. He has found time among his varied duties to invent a toy game.

Rev. Stokes is a great lover of golf, and plays two or three times every week with President Hadley of Yale. Both are so thoroughly pleased with the game that they agreed that it would be a fine idea to have an indoor edition of the sport when the outdoor season has closed. So Stokes began to devise parlor golf. This he had patented, and now toy manufacturers offer him a fortune for his invention.

KAISER MAY COME.

LONDON, Dec. 31.—With reference to the order for Prince Henry of Prussia to report to Berlin, which the Norddeutsche Allgemeine Zeitung says is due to affairs of government, the Berlin correspondent of the Daily News mentioned a conjecture that the summons is preparatory to a visit by the Kaiser to the United States.

THOSE DANISH ISLANDS.

COPENHAGEN, Dec. 30.—In Danish official circles the idea is entertained that the German government is negotiating to purchase the Danish Antilles is denied. "If the islands are to be sold," said a high official today, "the purchaser will be the United States, and no other power. All will be sold, or none."

PINGREE PARDONS DE FRANCE.

JACKSON (Mich.), Dec. 30.—R. J. de France, a noted forger, sent to the State's prison here from Kalamazoo county in 1884, for eleven years for defrauding a Kalamazoo bank of several thousand dollars, has been paroled by Gov. Pingree.

ZIONISTS' FREE FIGHT.

LONDON, Dec. 30.—Scandalous scenes ensued at a Dowlas Zionist meeting in Bermondsey Town Hall last evening, the disturbance culminating in a free fight.

[SOUTH AFRICA] CAPTURED BY BOERS.

British Lose Post at Helvetia.

Fifty English Killed and Wounded.

Two Hundred Prisoners Taken by the Burghers.

Col. Kitchener Following in the Tracks of Enemy—Wide Field of Activity.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.] LONDON, Dec. 31.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The War Office has received the following dispatch from Lord Kitchener.

PRETORIA, Dec. 30, 7 p.m.—Gen. Littleton reports that our post at Helvetia was captured yesterday morning by the Boers. About fifty were killed and wounded, and 200 taken prisoners.

"Col. Kitchener reports that he is following with a small force in the track of the enemy, Helvetia being recaptured by Reeves, who has been reinforced from Belfast.

"Helvetia was a very strong position on the Machadodorp-Lydenburg railway, and was held by a detachment of the Liverpool regiment. An am-

bility field of Boer activity. Gen. Dewet is still at large. Kimberley is isolated. The Boers are in force enough to have captured a strong position at Helvetia, in the Lyndenburg district, while judging from Lord Kitchener's very recent advice, no progress is being made against the Boers in the Lyndenburg district.

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GOLF IN YOUR PARLOR.

THIS COUNTRY IS NOT ZION.

Orthodox Hebrews Meet In Convention.

Protests Against Lapses from Judaism.

The Necessity of a Permanent and Universal Synod Set Forth.

BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M. NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—The biennial meeting of the Union or Orthodox Hebrew congregations was held today attended by representatives from ninety-six orthodox congregations in the United States and Canada.

Rev. Dr. H. P. Mendes, president of the union, occupied the chair, and among those present was Dr. L. Dembitz of Louisville, Dr. S. K. Sarach of Philadelphia, Dr. A. Friedenwald of Baltimore, H. K. Sarach of New York, Rev. Dr. M. Sola of Montreal, Rev. Dr. P. Klein, Joseph Blumenthal, Dr. Cyrus Adler, L. Napoleon Levy, L. Silverman, Max Deutschemann and Jacob Hecht.

The union was organized two and a half years ago for the purpose of advancing the interests of positive biblical, rabbinical and historical Judaism. Not being a synod, the meeting has no authority to amend religious questions, but as an assembly of representatives of all the congregations, it was the intention of the meeting to take such steps as the members could for the advancement of the creed.

Rev. H. P. Mendes, president, made the opening address, in which he explained what the union desired to do, and said in part:

"We differ from reform Jews in our insistence of a thorough knowledge of the teachings of our Holy Book, combined with loyalty to the principles of obedience to established rulings, which shall not be amended except by the most solemn and weighty of reasons, and perhaps we differ from some upholders of one form of orthodoxy in our conception of what constitutes orthodox Judaism, which to us seems to require a minimum of change in regard to the tenets of our religion by defining Jewish duty in response to new conditions which so frequently arise."

"The evil of reform Judaism is that it causes much frequent change by what do not claim to be reform. The standard of learning among the older ministers was very high, but among the younger ones who have received their Hebrew education in this country until the standard is not so high."

"Even laymen, as trustees of organizations, presume to introduce innovations, and the logical result of this is that individuals they carry the principles of the personal and family life into their home and personal lives. The Jewish features of orthodoxy are gradually omitted, and sooner or later nothing Jewish remains."

"The necessity of a synod that should be a permanent body composed of representatives from all parts of the world, so that Judaism in one country will be the same as Judaism in another country, becomes apparent when we consider the action taken by the sixtieth council of the Union of American Reformed Hebrew Congregations, held in Richmond in December of last year.

At that session they adopted resolutions that the Jews were not a nation. America is our Zion. Against such a radical departure from the teachings of Jeremiah we must emphatically protest, for such gross misrepresentations of Judaism and its principles are abominable. Hebrews, as well as many of our neighbors of a allied faith, by causing them to believe that we no longer entertain the ideal of Jewish nationality."

Dr. Mendes then dwelt on the fact that the Jews are content with such divorces as can be obtained from the civil courts of the country, the custom of widows marrying the brothers of their deceased husbands and of the intermarriage of Jews and Gentiles, all of which he denounced as being inimical to the interests of Judaism.

Dr. Mendes spoke of correspondence he had with Seth Low of the American Peace Commission to the Hague, concerning the proposed international peace conference in connection with the Geneva Red Cross convention. The letter to Seth Low and another to the President of the United States, were in relation to the substitution of other organizations than the Red Cross for Jewish physicians, surgeons and dentists who were conscientious scruples against wearing what is an emblem associated with a religion who was desirous of maintaining their own.

Seth Low replied that the committee would do what it could to carry the idea into effect, and the President replied, saying the matter had been brought to the attention of the Secretary of State. The following resolutions were adopted:

"That a committee be appointed to form unions for the purpose of instructing the young in Emanuel."

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"That a committee be appointed to communicate with the national government at Washington, asking it to provide a special minister to the United States and minister to minister to religious institutions of the Hebrews, in that branch of the public service."

A resolution providing for special services for the instruction of the young broached forth a plan of operation, and the resolution was finally referred to the Executive Committee for such action as they may deem proper after careful consideration. The majority of those who spoke on this resolution were of the opinion that an association would tend to lessen the respect which the children would have for the regular service and that in no way could they be so effectively taught to reverence the divine service than by participating in it in common with their elders."

Officers for 1901 were elected as follows: Rev. Dr. Mendes, president; Rev. Dr. Sola of Montreal, L. M. Dembitz of Louisville, Dr. A. Friedenwald of Baltimore, Dr. K. H. Sarach of New York, Dr. S. K. Sarach of Philadelphia, Albert Lucas, Max Cohen, Isadore Hirschfeld and J. Buchalter, all of New York, secretaries.

Trustees and members of the Executive Committee were also named, all those chosen being from the East.

PUTTED OFF BY TWO.

MIAMI (Fla.) Dec. 30.—The British steamer Mount Oswald, which went on the rocks at Elbow Reef, December 17, was pulled off by a wrecking tug today, and proceeded on her voyage to Tampa, Mex.

BLIZZARD IN COLORADO.

At Several Places the Fall of Snow Has Been Heavy—Railroad Traffic Interrupted.

BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M. DENVER, Dec. 30.—A blizzard visited Colorado last night, and has continued with varied strength throughout the State today. The temperature fell to 20° below zero at several places the fall of snow has been quite heavy. Railroad traffic, though not seriously affected, has been interrupted, and trains are all arriving late. No great damage to live stock has been reported.

NEBRASKA AFFECTED.

BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M. OMAHA, Dec. 30.—A furious blizzard began in the eastern part of Nebraska at 8 o'clock this morning, continuing throughout the day, and night extends over the State.

WINTER WHEAT BLANKETED.

BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M. KANSAS CITY (Mo.), Dec. 30.—A snowstorm set in tonight, and the temperature fell to 20° below zero. The snow has fallen in several inches, and at several places the fall of snow has been quite heavy. Winter wheat, though not seriously affected, has been interrupted, and trains are all arriving late. No great damage to live stock has been reported.

REACH FROM REAR-ADMIRALS DOWN THE LINE.

REACH AND Kautz and Chief Constructor Hichborn Among Those to Retire for Age—Casey to Command the Pacific Station.

BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Tribune's Washington special says that the new year promises to be a year of important political changes in the highest rank of the navy, not only from changes among rear-admirals, by retirement, but by reason of important rearrangement of naval commands afloat and in influential billets ashore.

Among those who will retire for age are: January 29, Rear-Admiral Albert Kautz; February 19, Capt. N. Dyer; March 4, Chief Constructor Philip Hichborn; October 2, Rear-Admiral W. S. Schley; November 3, Medical Director Joseph G. Adams.

When Admiral Kautz, who is now residing on the Mexican coast, hauls down the blue pennant at San Diego, January 29, as commander-in-chief of the Pacific station, which embraces a greater area than that administered by any other officer afloat, every man of the line two will advance one number, and many important transfers will occur. Chief of these will be Rear-Admiral Silas Casey, who succeeded to the command of the station, with the battleflag Iowa as his flagship.

The most important line of retirement of the year, and the which will undoubtedly prove the greatest change of commands, is that of Schley, with the relative rank of a major-general of the army. Admiral Farquhar, now commanding the home squadron on the North Atlantic, will, at his own request, relieve Schley and succeed him in command of the South Atlantic squadron.

It is stated that Bob Evans shall have the North Atlantic fleet, either next March or next November.

SUCCESSOR TO HICHORN.

BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M. NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—The Times says that the following day, Tuesday, Dr. Francis F. H. Henshaw, now on the Cramp shipyards at Philadelphia, is at the head of the eligible list, but Capt. Francis F. Bowles, attached to the Brooklyn navy yard, is being strongly urged to the command. Capt. Hichborn will be retired May 21, 1901, while Capt. Bowles will remain on the active list until October 7, 1902.

PAUL QUARANTINE OFF.

ST. PAUL, Dec. 30.—The local health commissioner, who stated that the new health board, formed by the Wilsons, had taken proper measures to guard against the spread of smallpox said to exist there, has raised the quarantine between the two cities.

STATEHOOD FOR ARIZONA.

Gov. Murphy to Renew His Efforts at the Capital of the Nation.

BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M. NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—Gov. Murphy of Arizona is at the Holland House, and will go to Washington Tuesday to continue his efforts to have that Territory admitted as a State.

"We have a hard fight on our hands," he said today, "but we purpose keeping it up until success crowns our efforts. Our people want self-government, and the advantages of Statehood. Freedom is the underlying sentiment which urges us on. We believe it entirely wrong for a people to be taxed, directly or indirectly, without representation. We are tired of territorial vassalage."

"Arizona has a population of more than one hundred and twenty-two thousand, having increased more than 100 per cent. in the last decade. We have more people and more money than twenty-three of the States had when they were admitted."

WEST LORNE (Ont.) Dec. 30.—Fire

tonight wiped out one of the principal business blocks of the village, causing a loss of \$125,000.

250,000 WORTH OF PRIZES.

Will be distributed by the Times between January 1 and July 1, 1901. Watch for the details which will appear soon.

[THE PHILIPPINES] WENT AGAINST THE REBELS.

Gen. Wheaton Burns a Captured Camp.

Insurgents Killed by Scouting Parties.

Gen. Grant Sends Detachments to Catch Alejandrino—Mendoza Surrenders.

She Refuses Bail and Says That When She is Freed She Will Go to Other Cities and Smash Saloons There as in the Past.

BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M. WICHITA (Kans.) Dec. 30.—[By Carrie Nation, the W.C.T.U.] "Joint wrecker," has refused bail secured by her coworkers. She now says that under no circumstances will she step out of jail until cleared of the charge against her, and several captured near Gayson.

Gen. Smith wires that the proclamation of the Governor-General has had good results in his district.

Near Moron yesterday a dozen insurgents were killed and eight wounded.

A detachment of the Eleventh and Ninth Cavalry killed twelve insurgents and destroyed several camps in the Camarines district.

The Philippine Commission has added to the pending school bill a provision for the payment of \$600 American teachers at salaries ranging from \$75 to \$100 a month.

SKINNED WHILE ALIVE.

INSTANCE OF NATIVE FEROCITY.

BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M. WEST SUPERIOR (Wis.) Dec. 30.—In a letter written from the Philippines just before election to his folks in this city, Capt. Harry W. Newton says that at times the encroachments of the natives were worse than they had been at any time during the year previous. As one instance of their ferocity, he writes:

"I expect they will resort to this as a last means to make me abandon my crusade against the liquor dealers, but I will appeal to every liberal-minded person, and let them judge of what meager. The first news of the affair came to me through the telephone line from Bull's store at Otter.

Word was sent from the sheep camp to Otter by messenger, with a request to have Sheriff Cato go at once to Tooney Creek, armed with warrants in blank. The Sheriff and deputies started this morning on their 100-mile trip overland.

One of Daup & Selway's herdsmen had his flock of 200 sheep at the upper corral on Tooney Creek, and was awakened before daylight by shooting and yelling. Eleven men mounted on horseback were riding around the band of sheep and shooting into them.

There are conflicting reports as to the methods employed by the raiders.

One statement is to the effect that the sheep were driven into a cut and piled up in a struggling mass, those not

being killed by the fall being dispatched by clubs. Another story says they were "milled" to death, that is, driven in circles and piled up until the under ones were smothered. The raiders wore gunny sacks over their heads and shoulders, effectively concealing their identity.

The scene in the Otter Creek and Powder River country has been quite bitter against the sheep outlaws, and yesterday's raid is the result of their feeling. It is believed that the ranchers of the Powder River and all the small settlers near the Wyoming line have united to desperately oppose the encroachments of the sheep men, and

one will be outwitted in the end.

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MONDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1900.

Los Angeles Daily Times.

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[COAST RECORD.]
BRADLEY BACK
IN HIS CHURCH.Former Los Angeles
Preacher Restored.Trouble Due to Letter
Going Astray.Rev. C. H. Hobart Gets a Call
to Pasadena—Electric
Lines.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BERKELEY, Dec. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] After believing for four years that he was shut out forever from the Episcopalian clergy, and having been ordained a minister of the Congregational Church, Rev. Ernest B. Bradley, pastor of the First Congregational Church, left the latter denomination today and will resign his old church to become a priest.

Today Bradley preached his farewell sermon, and told of his troubles. It seems that he had a quarrel with a preacher, while an Episcopalian student at Ripon College, in Wisconsin, and went to Los Angeles with his wife. From there he wrote to his bishop, asking for his standing in the church. The letter miscarried, and, receiving no answer, he joined the Congregational Church. Recently all misunderstanding was cleared away, and Rev. Bradley will return to his old church. He will be assigned to San Luis Obispo.

He is a graduate of the University of Southern California at Los Angeles.

REV. HOBART'S CALL.
ANNOUNCED AT OAKLAND.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

OAKLAND, Dec. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Rev. C. H. Hobart, pastor of the First Baptist Church in this city, received a call today to the First Baptist Church in Pasadena. Dr. Hobart has been pastor here for the past thirteen years. Shortly after his arrival he won a place as one of the most prominent citizens of the city, which position he has since easily retained. He has always been outspoken in endeavoring to advance the morals of the community, and under his pastorate the church has prospered until it is one of the largest religious organizations in the city. He has the call to Pasadena under consideration.

The First Baptist Church at Pasadena is the second largest of the Baptist denominations in Southern California, and the field is even larger than that in which he has been laboring here. While no decision has yet been reached, the fact that his congregation fears that he will accept is taken to mean that he will return a favorable answer to the call.

WANTED AT SAN FRANCISCO.
REV. DINSMORE'S CALL.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30.—Rev. E. F. Dinsmore of Santa Barbara has been called as the minister of the Second Unitarian Church of this city. The trustees voted him to be their choice at a recent meeting, and their action was approved at the congregational gathering, today.

These official proceedings have placed on record the unanimous sentiment of the people, and it is known that Rev. Dinsmore will accept the charge. There will be no delay in his coming, and it is now planned to have the installation service next Sunday evening. Dinsmore will leave Santa Barbara after a pastoral of seven successful years.

MORENCI SOUTHERN RAILWAY.
NOTABLE ENGINEERING FEAT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MORENCI (Ariz.) Dec. 30.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Expertise in the art of quickly pulling a gun saved the life of an iron master, while under the influence of drink, took a shot himself tonight in his home, but the bullet only grazed his cheek. He lays his troubles on his wife and grown sons, who, he says, are against him, but, he says he had been abusing them all evening. He was locked up for safe-keeping.

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Suicides in the Klondik.

VICTORIA (B. C.) Dec. 30.—According to authorities in this city, Mrs. Heisler, a gambler, committed suicide in the Gold Hill Hotel, in Grand Forks, December 6, by morphine.

Earl W. Schleicht, of the Omes Mercantile Company committed suicide at Dawson, December 5.

Sheridan's Shot Fails.

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At the Yuma depot, Burt made a desperate attempt to gain liberty. The prisoners were held at the jail at the lunch counter before being taken to their new place of residence. Suddenly Burt, though ironed by one wrist to Page, seized Guard Richy and nearly succeeded in securing his revolver. Richy managed to hold his own in the scuffle till Lewis, who is a very giant, came to the rescue, and pulled Burt's away. Page had been kept quiet under the muzzle of the revolver of another guard.

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At the Churches Yesterday.

Consecration.
A T Westlake Methodist Episcopal Church Sunday morning, Rev. J. A. Pitner preached on "Consecration" from the text: "I beseech you therefore brethren by the mercies of God that ye present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable unto God, who is your reasonable service." —Rom. xii. 1. He said, in part:

"We may hope that in the coming century Christianity will be more understood than it ever has been. I think the coming century will reveal that the Lord Jesus can be approached with the same simplicity that anything else is."

"I talk to you today of consecration. I stand in the shadow of the dying century, and in the breaking dawn of the new one. Consecration is the absolute and undivided devotion of a person to a certain cause, for a certain end, and its importance should be an integral part of the days and weeks of the whole year. All the success of this life have been attained by the application of truth. True principles which are invariable have been applied. What and who we are to devote our life to, that is the which will develop true righteousness."

"We in our Christianity have been mixed in with our Christianity a mysticism, and men have studied the questions of theology more than the practical points of life. Let us carry this discussion over into the spiritual and see what are the applications of this consecration. What does a sinner do when he sees his sins? He thinks about the mercy of God, and pleads the promises of God to those who seek Him. He may be as eloquent as Patrick Henry, as refined and literary as Dickens, a character scarce by criminal, but he passes all down the aisle, passing through the hall of Christ, on the conditions of the gospel, a thorough consecration to the service of God."

"It is a simple and instantaneous act by the Almighty to put the spirit of his precious soul when the conditions have been met. It is the supreme act of man's life when he decides that he needs Christ, and turns his heart to seek wisdom. Two angels and seraphim of heaven are looking down upon the scene. When a man comes to God with a trusting faith and a full and complete confession of his sins, I pray to the Lord, my Father, that the Lord, God will do for him all that divine love and divine grace, and wisdom and omnipotence can conceive, in transforming him into a new creature."

"There is an equity side to this question of salvation, and it is on that side humanity approaches the throne of grace. Man has an interest in the cleansing power of Christ's blood, which he can learn only by his own, neither from his body, a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable before God, which is your reasonable service." There comes with this the injunction, work out your own salvation with fear and trembling. I will work in both to work and to do of my good pleasure. When a man gives himself unreservedly to God he receives from Him the pardon of his sins, cleanse him, bear him to the gates of heaven, and did the project of old, with his own coal and he is ready to say, "Here am I, send me." Will you not take my Savior to guide and keep you in the coming years of the new century, so soon to be begun? With such a host of such great incentives, such matchless opportunities? Look to your guide, through the coming years; look to Jesus, and in all the dark places you will find His loving hand reached out to help you."

Life's Awful Brevity.

REV. PHILIP JAMES WARD preached yesterday at the Central Baptist Church, corner of Flower and Pico streets, from James iv. 15: "Who is your life?" Mr. Ward said, in part:

"Life's looked at us from all emprise shows ever-changing scenes, an infant practicing a boy at play, at school, at college, and then a constant struggle with a few interludes of pleasures, a deathbed, and a grave. Life is a mysterious something, incomprehensible to vision, impalpable to touch, whose presence in the human body induces that body a masterpiece of God, but whose departure leaves it a loathsome mass, fit only to say that our eyes are still there the seal has gone, and though the ears are there the blear has gone. Our life is largely deceptive in the promises it holds before us, its golden prospects, its bright future, to the bitter disappointment of youth and old age alike. Our life is evanescent to the last degree. Watch the surging crowds through the Strand in London, and the Champs Elysees, Paris, and elsewhere. In all those multitudes there is not one who walked there when this dying century dawned. Our life is not a jest, though many would treat it as such. It is a precious span of time, framed with the possibilities for eternity, and is in every case a journey to the judgment throne of destiny."

The Closing Century.

REV. C. J. JONES preached yesterday morning in the Church of the Unity, on "The Closing Century, Its Gain Religiously." He said, in part:

"When we compare the growth of the century in matters of religion and its development in the spiritual life, and in the intellectual life, we find that there is a marked slowness in the former. At the beginning of the century theology dominated thought and sought to prescribe methods of thinking. But as the century has gone on so far as it has been compelled to give way to what is more intelligent and rational. Its authority, and the survival of tradition, custom, and superstition, which it has largely fostered, still holds over the minds of the majority of men in their various forms. Religious teaching and belief even in enlightened America and Europe, still have in them commingling of dogmatism, angelology, and cross materialism. They perpetuate the thought of a man-God, the Divine Being, and the fancies of the non-scientific days when they originated."

"The persistence of views that lag far behind the knowledge of the day is due to the conservative habit of mind which clings to what is customary, and hesitates to accept the new, even though it is plainly better than the old. But notwithstanding these facts, which declare our growth has not been as great as it should, we have advanced."

"We have a new and higher criticism of the Bible, and of the doctrinal purpose to be drawn therefrom. This higher criticism is characterized by a real to know the truth, and in its broad outreach is at once more intelligent and rational in the highest measure of these words. Under its guidance the spirit of Jesus has been studied anew after the method of biography in which the lives of other world's heroes are treated. So the history of our race has gained one hero, a man of men the more. In place of the strict dogmatism of the older theologies we have gained a sense of apprehension, and in certainty of what constitutes essential religion. What has been gained has been won in the face of the most strenuous and persistent opposition, but a gradual evolution

be more genuine and well-directed work."

"One significant feature of this gain is the passing of the denominational colleges and schools. Henceforth the young of the world will be educated in all matters of the intellectual life without the narrowing influence of a contracted theological bias. The advance of religious thought has had its quiet influence in this century, but the work has gone on, and go on for men are now, as never before, committed to truth as their supreme authority, and to speak truthfully as their supreme obligation."

To Be or Not to Be.

AT THE New Christianity Church yesterday P. W. Dooner preached upon the subject, "To Be or Not to Be." He said, in part:

"The rationality that is rooted in the natural and in the physical sciences, and the irreducibility of spiritual things by the avenues of sense, must yield, before the higher wisdom can enter into or enlighten the mind in the direction of spiritual things. The mind of man, when it is freed by the universal love of God, gives new ends, aims and purposes to the life that the mind directs. Every step that thus leads away from the gods of spirituality tends toward individuality, and of this order is characterized by the universal love of ruling over others; by jealousy of individual importance, and by selfish disregard of the rights of all others, and in this first creases by all shades of pride, beginning with the mere sense of self-importance. Let us carry this discussion over into the spiritual and see what are the applications of this consecration. What does a sinner do when he sees his sins? He thinks about the mercy of God, and pleads the promises of God to those who seek Him. He may be as eloquent as Patrick Henry, as refined and literary as Dickens, a character scarce by criminal, but he passes all down the aisle, passing through the hall of Christ, on the conditions of the gospel, a thorough consecration to the service of God."

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The Woman in the Sun.

REV. J. S. THOMSON, pastor of the Independent Church of Christ, in the Simpson Auditorium, preached a sermon on "The Woman in the Sun in the Twentieth Century."

"Among the problems which will be solved by the next century is the problem of the position and relationships of woman. The destiny of the real woman in all its fullness will be discovered. The agitation about her place is now going on in such questions as 'Is marriage a failure?' 'Is woman the slave of man?' 'Is woman's progress hindered by man and his laws and customs?' These are morbid questions. The mass of womankind is setting profounder questions than these, and, while a few may pretend to anticipate Providence in the destiny of the race, we may feel absolutely sure that the experience common sense, a nature of womanhood will guide her safely along her way. Christ, the Scribe and Pharisees, and none of them—not even the high-priests, forsooth, nor the despised publican to himself. According to our text, the dragon of discontent, unrest and hatred may inspire a few women to do and say things in disobedience to the laws of woman's life on earth, yet woman's own nature will triumph over all opposition to her development, and she will win the crown of stars."

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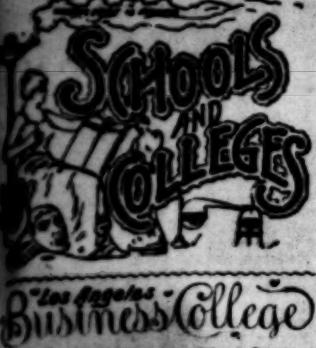
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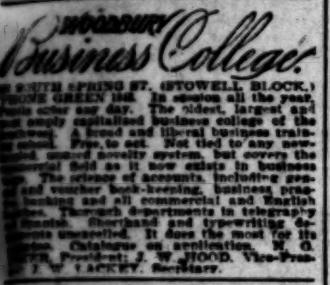
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PASADENA.

Woman Hurt in Grade-crossing Accident.

Battle of Roses to Be a Great Feature.

End-of-the-century Meeting of Twilight Club—News Notes and Personals.

PASADENA, Dec. 30.—[Regular Correspondence.] Mrs. A. Hutton (colored) of No. 225 South Raymond avenue is in the hospital with a fractured leg. She is suffering from a number of painful swelling and bruises received in a grade-crossing accident yesterday afternoon at the junction of Garfield avenue and the Santa Fe tracks. Mrs. Hutton, with her husband and two children, started out about 2 o'clock in the afternoon to get a load of wood from a near-by grove. Hutton, who operates a steam-propelled cart, was driving two horses harnessed to a large wagon, and on the seat beside him sat his wife and a young son, while another was in the rear of the wagon. The party was driving east on Garfield avenue, just behind another wagon which crossed the tracks in safety. At the point of the accident there is a sharp curve in the Santa Fe tracks immediately north of the crossing, and the view of south-bound trains is obscured further by a small depot. Hutton says he heard no warning of the train and was taken by surprise. He was heard to say he had been hit by a stone. The wagon was taken in a wagon to the hospital, where he was given a dose of opium and a cathartic. Charles F. Spaulding and wife and Vaughn Spaulding of Chicago are at the Green.

PAULINE BREVIETTES. At the morning service at the First Baptist Church today a unanimous call was extended to Rev. C. H. Hobart, D. B. pastor of the First Baptist Church, and Mr. Hobart, who is understood to be quite willing to supply the pulpit vacant by the death of Rev. Frank W. Woods.

Late arrivals at La Pintoresca are W. H. Laughlin and wife of Canton, O., Deming of Deming, O., D. F. Folsom, wife of White Sulphur Springs, Mont., and D. M. Folsom of Stanford, Calif.

Mrs. E. F. Hahn has gone to Santa Barbara, where she will spend the winter with her parents. She has not yet recovered from injuries received in a hospital accident at Santa Barbara last summer.

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Don't fail to get your New Year's poultry at Bremer's City Market daily. Finest turkeys and chickens of the market.

Reserve seats at Huffs for Tournament parade, battle of roses and after-party. F. Bruce Wetherby, president P.T.A.

Laure stock of New Year's poultry at Halstead's, 16 South Fair Oaks. Wadsworth sells paints.

FULLERTON.

TALK OF INCORPORATION. FULLERTON, Dec. 30.—[Regular Correspondence.] The business men of Fullerton report a very prosperous year just closing, and each of them says the past year's business shows a big increase over 1899. There is talk of incorporating within a year, so that streets and sidewalks may be improved; streets lighted by electricity; fire department houses are now lighted; fire hydrants installed, and other improvements made.

L. B. Benchley has invited the Farmers' Club to hold its next meeting at his place.

Frank Preston, one of the contestants in the fifteen-round glove contest, to come off here in a few days, runs to Wadsworth and back every morning.

Coronet Clark was taken in a wagon to the hospital, where he was given a dose of opium and a cathartic.

Coronet Clark was held an inquest last evening on the body of Peter Huff, who died yesterday. The verdict was that the death was from natural causes. The last will received from his people was written by his attorney, Mrs. Mary Jane Vorhes, at Neshanic, N. J., ten years ago. The body was given a \$12 burial at the county's expense.

BATTLE OF ROSES PLANS.

The management of the Tournament of Roses does not make the battle of roses and confetti a specialty, and to that end wishes participants in the parade and spectators who have seen in the Orange Grove-avenue grand stands to provide themselves with quantities of roses and other flowers, as well as with bags of confetti, which may be obtained at the grand stand and other places.

The Modern Woodmen of America last night elected E. Johnson to command the Orange County Encampment at Sacramento, Calif., and C. B. Cunningham of the Los Angeles Encampment.

William Berktenstock telephoned in this morning that he had not injured his back, and that he had a slight sprain in his right shoulder.

It was a very ingenious

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in a huge profit.

Exposed to the sun for a few hours in a dark

place without flowers, and, as even

good general provides himself with an abundance of ammunition before entering the sun.

With these conditions satisfied, the

participants in the tournament

will be requested to carry a

handful of green diamonds as possible.

Preparations for the sports at Tournament Park are about complete, and a large crowd is expected to be there in the afternoon, to witness the polo game, the 100-yard dash, tourney-athletic games, bronco "busting," and other entertainments. It is expected to be one of the exciting events of the season.

A silver loving cup and a cash prize

will be hung up for contestants in this race, and an entry fee is required.

Those who enter will have an equal opportunity to win the race.

The riders who are to compete in the horse quadrille are practicing night and day, as they dash through the streets with their animals, they attract as much attention as a band of cowboys.

The management of the tournament is giving almost as much attention to the polo game, the 100-yard dash, tourney-athletic games, bronco "busting," and other entertainments.

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THE CITY IN BRIEF.

AT THE THEATERS.

LOS ANGELES.—The Singing Girl. MURKIN.—The Isle of Champagne. ORPHEUM. Vandeville.

NEWS AND BUSINESS.

W.W.C.A. Reception.

The Young Women's Christian Association will hold a New Year's reception from 8 to 10 o'clock tomorrow evening at the association hall on Second street. All are invited.

Tinsley's Burial.

No word has yet been received from the supposed daughter of John W. Tinsley, who is believed to reside in Montana, and consequently the remains of the murderer-suicide will be buried today in the Potters' field.

Arrested for Spitting.

Out of the hundreds of men who spit out of doors yesterday and locked up for this offense. They are Thomas Fitzgerald and John O'Connor, and they were taken up at First and Los Angeles streets.

Fall from a Car.

Mrs. J. R. Thomson of No. 432 South Hope street fell from a Traction car last night at the corner of Hill and Hill streets, as she was alighting the car started, throwing her to the ground. She was rendered unconscious and badly bruised.

Automobile Afra.

A portable engine, or "automobile," which had been used to draw tools out of an oil well at the corner of Ohio and Colton streets, caught fire yesterday morning at 6:30. The department was called, but the fire was extinguished, little damage resulting.

Death of Mrs. Mathews.

Mrs. Mary Mathews died at 7 o'clock last night at the family residence at No. 22 Westlake avenue, after a long illness. The deceased was the mother of former Postmaster Mathews, and was in her eighty-first year. The time of the funeral will be announced later.

Diamond Stolen.

John Miller, an elderly tourist from Brooklyn, N. Y., reported to the police yesterday the loss of a two-karat diamond stickpin. He was riding on a Royal Height car with his niece when he missed his diamond, and he suspects three men of "touching" him for the jewel.

Six-shooter Stolen.

"Six-shooter Bill," or William Powell, as his true name is, was arrested yesterday morning and locked up in jail to serve a sentence of 100 days. He was given a hearing in the Police Court recently, left town and went to work in the country. Yesterday he came in to get a job and sometime later was missing, but when he explained the circumstances he was released.

Christian Socialist Watchnight.

Word has been received that the Rev. Robert M. Webster will argue in this city this afternoon and will preside and speak at the Christian Socialist watch-night celebration this evening. This has been planned to the two meetings in the country. There will be a dance of music and a goodly number of speakers, among them Rev. E. W. Meany, T. W. Williams, W. C. Bowmen, Judge Carl Schutz and T. M. Stewart.

Judge Gill's Visit.

Turner A. Gill, Associate Judge of a Court of Appeals of the State of Missouri, will visit Los Angeles about January 12 or 15. He has been once Mayor of Kansas City, Mo., once City Councilor, eight years on the Circuit Court of Jackson county and twice on the Missouri Supreme Court. Judge Gill will be accompanied to California by his wife, who is treasurer of the Kansas City Chapter, No. 169, of the Daughters of the Confederacy.

Signal Corps Operations.

A squad of the Signal Corps went into camp at Wilson's Peak yesterday. Today a part of the squad went to camp at Pine Flats, twenty miles from Wilson's Peak, and there will be practice by flashing heliograph messages between the two places. The young guardmen will remain in camp a week and will attempt to communicate by moonlight. At the last shot for 1900, held on the Hill Side, Saturday, the Signal Corps qualified several sharpshooters.

BREVITIES.

Although the Times' business office is open day and night, year in and year out, when it is not possible to bring your ads in, you can telephone them in at any hour of the day or night at the standard "liner" rate, 1 cent per minute.

North Hardware Co. has removed to 229 South Spring street. They have a full line of hardware, stoves, granite, tinware; do plumbing, tinning and furnace work.

All-day meeting today. Watch-night service with midnight baptism, First Baptist Church, on Flower, between 7 and 8.

The Times will distribute \$25,000 worth of prizes. Watch the Times for the details of the contest which will appear in a few days.

Dr. Paul de Ford, removed to 224 Larchmont building. Eminent professional services; moderate fees. Hours 9 to 1.

For time of arrival and departure of Santa Fe trains, see "Time Card" in today's Times.

The Times Job Office is equipped to do machine composition, 13 cts. a short notice.

Forty finest stamp photos only 25 cents. "Sunbeam," 236 Main street. Purchased. Monocle, 247 S. W. Way. Whitney's trunk factory, 228 S. Main. Whitney Trunk Factory, 423 S. Spring.

The sale of reserved seats for "Way Down East" will open Tuesday morning, instead of this morning. The engagement is for two days only, Friday and Saturday, with a Saturday matinee.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union telegraph office for J. D. McKenzie, James A. Wilderick, Bob Barnattine, H. Bluet, A. L. Smith, Miss Susie Reeves, C. W. Calhoun, Mrs. Anna Vester, Martin Zelle, A. Rockwell, Dr. Reed and W. H. Dehm.

PONY CART CAPTURED.

Two Weeping Boys Taken to the Police Station, Charged With Breaking Glass in House.

A man who looked like a farmer, leading a pony by the bridle, with two weeping boys in the pony cart, attracted attention as the procession passed Westlake Park yesterday afternoon. Several persons were interfering and trying to mollify the man, but he was obdurate.

"Oh, let the boys go!" exclaimed a lady in a sealskin sack, seated in a fine carriage.

"Say old fellow! You'll get into trouble if you let those two kids loose!" threatened a fellow in a carriage.

Other philanthropists and observers asked for explanations. The capturer was willing to give them and to voluntarily argue all the points raised, but he would not loosen his grip on the bridle.

PIE RECORD.

Pennsylvania Family Has Broken it by Eating Over Eight Thousand in a Year.

[Altoona (Pa.) Correspondence New York Sun:] Mrs. John Walters of Paint town, Blair county, holds the undisputed record for pie baking in this part of Pennsylvania. Her record is based on figures furnished to the world by a proud husband, who has aided and abetted her in the consumption of 8300 crimped, flaky, tan and pie during the past year.

Mr. and Mrs. Walters live on a fertile farm in the northern part of the county. Mrs. Walters, according to family history, was not born with the pie-baking instinct, but developed it in fact. It is said, that it was an acquired accomplishment following marriage. Mr. Walters, the story goes, was a lover pie before he met his wife-to-be. Conscious of a record of pies well baked, she has given up most of her cooking, Mrs. Walters tells, nowadays, that one of the stipulations of the marriage contract was that she should have pies on the table every day till death did part her from her husband.

The youthful bride, at the start, baked many pies such as Mr. Walter's mother had never made. But she improved. At any rate the crisp pumpkin or apple pie was always to be had on the table. The record was set up by training fitted her for the proud record, 8303 pies, announced for the year just closed.

Farmer Walters came down the valley in the day the record pie was baked, and the record pie is tall, lanky fellow with the appearance of a champion pie-eater. Of his seven lanky sons, each of whom inherits his love for crisp pastry, accompanied him, to bear witness to the truth of his father's statements. Inquired as to who ate all the pie was natural.

"Who ate the pies?" Walters repeated after his questioner. "We have three sons, I can't say. I'm not raised to a son who can do as well as the old man. Then I have a hired man, who I'm sorry to say, can beat even I. Why, that fellow will eat six pies a day, and get fat. I never have had a hired man about the place who couldn't eat pies. The last man I had said he had stomach trouble and couldn't touch the nice tarts. Mary could bake. He disappeared with my best colt and I haven't seen him since."

Farmer Walters took a day off last week to figure up some statistics on his wife's pie baking.

"I have the figures all here," he said. "My account. In December, 1899, she put out 764 pies. January, 1900, 671; February, 740; March, 725; April, 610; May, 749; June, 640; July, 809; August, 660; September, 708; October, 757; November, 832."

On July 1st another July was the prime month. That was during harvest, I won't have a harvester unless he eats me. Never saw a good workman that didn't like 'em. Figuring that Mary's pies are at foot address, putting them all in a row, there would be one mile and a half. Putting them all together, the other, they would be higher than the Eiffel tower. Putting them a step apart, they would reach 4 miles, and a mile would be a good gait step.

"Who bakes the pies?" I'm sure, of course. She wouldn't let anybody try her hand at such an important job. She bakes 'em in the big oven in the garden, where she gets the flavor of the brick oven. Baking the bready bars to make a pie taste right. Even she bakes twenty pies. She says that it is enough for any family. Of course Saturdays and days when we have visitors who don't eat up, she has to have known the hired man to make a pig of himself. The fellow will eat two pies more than he ought to when he has 'em to work on. Last Thursday we said to him, 'Well, but he managed to eat away with five pumpkins, an' he only stopped when Mary told him it wasn't good for him to eat so many pies when he was so sick.'

Farmer Walters is 65 years old. Figuring on three pies a day, he thinks he eaten about 43,800 pies since his marriage.

"Of course," he said, "that may be a little high or a little low. Mary and I never kept any account of the number we ate since she said 'yes.'

DEATH RECORD.

WRIGHT.—In this city, Mrs. Josephine, 29, Louis H. beloved wife of Leslie Wright, native of Canada, aged 25 years.

Wright, from the undertaking parlor of Cunningham & O'Connor, 456 and 458 South Main street, today at 2:15 p.m. Interment New Cemetery.

MATTHEWS.—At her residence, No. 229 W. 11th avenue on December 30, 1900, at 7 p.m., Mrs. Anna E. Matthews, aged 60 years 6 months 8 days. Funeral notice later.

PERRIN.—In Ferrar, in this city, December 29.

WILSON.—At his home, No. 712 California street, on December 29, 1900, at 1 p.m., Robert Renshaw, a native of England, aged 72 years. Funeral notice later.

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STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the Title Insurance and Trust Company will be held at the office of the company in the Abstract Block, No. 1100, Hill Street, on January 1, 1901, at 10 a.m.

N. M. STANFORD, and wife, Barbara, manager of the firm of Stanford & Barbara, are guests of the State, registered at the Hotel Hollenbeck yesterday.

E. M. Borey, a banker of Minneapolis, is in the city on a pleasure trip, and is a guest of the Westminster. He will remain here several weeks.

T. M. Starke of Barbara & Barbara, manager of the firm of that team, is in the city on business of that team. He is staying at the Nadeau.

W. H. Bennett, representing the New Zealand Insurance Company of San Francisco, is in the city on business. He is staying at the Hollenbeck.

Mr. and Mrs. Eben Smith, who are permanent residents of the city, arrived here yesterday and will spend several days at the Westminster.

E. M. Boagrin and wife of Louisiana are guests at the Westminster. Mr. Boagrin is a wealthy planter owning much land both in New Orleans and throughout that state.

G. A. Wootton, a representative of the firm of Moore, Ferguson & Co., wholesale grain, wool and commission dealers of San Francisco, is a guest at the Van Nuyes.

Albert Thurston who was here from Oxnard to spend the holidays with relatives, has returned to Ventura county where he is employed in the large sugar factory at Oxnard.

Hon. R. M. Clarke and wife of Santa Paula are guests at the Hollenbeck Hotel en route to Coronado. They are on their bridal tour and will remain at the San Diego resort until the end of the year.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Clark recently fled to the Azores in Viana, Portugal, and before returning home will go to Sacramento to attend the session of the Legislature.

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